

**Oklahoma City Feeder Cattle**  
Oklahoma City, OK  
Wed Oct 8, 1997

Oklahoma National Stockyards - Weekly Cattle Summary  
Compared to last week: Feeder steers steady to 3.00 lower, least decline on 700-800 lbs. Feeder heifers 2.00-3.00 lower. Steer calves 3.00-6.00 lower. Heifer calves 2.00-5.00 lower. Demand moderate for steers, light for heifers and all calves. Quality of supply plain, few average to attractive. Weigh-ups full to mostly average. Calves in moderate to fleshy condition. Calf market in usual October doldrums as turnout to wheat/rye pastures a month away and calves in need of conditioning prior to turnout. Feeder cattle in medium flesh. Large placements in August and September left little space in feedlots. A sluggish beef market has kept packer interest minimal creating slow movement out of feedlots the last couple of weeks. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls steady. Packer demand moderate. Country cow buyers remain aggressive on thin cows for feedlots and stalks. Total of 650 cows and bulls sold with 65 percent going to packers. Receipts this week 10,350; last week 10,321; last year 12,152. Supply consisted of 55 percent yearlings and few calves over 600 lbs, 38 percent calves under 600 lbs; 7 percent cows and bulls. Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1 Calves: 350-400 lbs (374 lbs) 95.50-102.00 (97.87); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 88.75-96.00 (94.74); 500-550 lbs (528 lbs) 84.00-89.75 (87.63); 550-600 lbs (574 lbs) 80.00-86.00 (84.11); 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 75.25-83.25 (78.08); 700-725 lbs (708 lbs) 75.75-76.50 (75.90); Yearlings: 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 79.00-82.00 (80.74); 700-800 lbs (750 lbs) 75.00-81.00 (78.29); 800-850 lbs (830 lbs) 73.75-76.75 (75.86); 850-900 lbs (877 lbs) 71.00-75.75 (71.70); 900-950 lbs (934 lbs) 67.00-68.75 (67.97).  
Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1 Calves: 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 77.00-86.00 (82.12); 400-450 lbs (431 lbs) 75.25-80.00 (77.62); 450-500 lbs (476 lbs) 70.25-79.50 (74.86); 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 70.00-77.00, few fancy to 80.00 (73.67); 600-650 lbs (616 lbs) 68.25-71.50, fancy 76.25

(71.44); Yearlings: 600-650 lbs (631 lbs) 72.75-76.00 (73.93); 650-700 lbs (686 lbs) 70.00-73.25 (71.42); 700-750 lbs (719 lbs) 69.25-73.75 (71.26); 750-800 lbs (769 lbs) 67.00-71.00 (69.38); 800-810 lbs (807 lbs) 68.25-69.00 (68.63).  
Slaughter Cows: Average dressing: Cutters 31.50-34.50, Utilities 33.00-36.50; high dressing mostly Utilities 35.00-39.00; low dressing: Cutters 28.00-32.00, Utilities 31.00-34.00. Canners 27.00-30.50, light weights down to 23.00.

Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Cutters 71.25; Boners 70.90, Breakers 66.60, Canners 71.10. Bulls 81.85.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1 1500-2150 lbs average dressing 43.00-47.00, 1200-1400 lbs 42.00-43.00; high dressing 48.00-51.00; low dressing 40.00-44.50.

Replacement Cows: Pretested for Bangs, pregnancy, and age Medium and Large 1 single head sales: 4-5 year old 1050-1250 lbs 2-4 months bred high quality 585.00-635.00, 4-6 year old 950-1150 lbs 3-5 months bred F1 Bra Cross 520.00-580.00; 6-8 year old 1000-1250 lbs 3-5 months bred high quality 415.00-495.00; 4-6 year old 900-1100 lbs 3-7 months bred avg quality 465.00-545.00; 8-10+ yr old 1000-1100 lbs 5-7 months bred avg quality 360.00-415.00.

Pairs: Medium and Large 1 5-6 yr old 900-1150 lb cow 100-250 lb calf avg quality 660.00-710.00, fancy 3 yr old 750.00. Source: USDA Market News Service, Oklahoma City, OK Robert Miles - Tina Colby Telephone (405) 232-5425.

**Leesport Livestock**

Leesport, PA  
Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1997  
Report Supplied by PDA  
CATTLE 308...PDA...SUPPLY INCLUDED 136 SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS AND 55 FEEDER CATTLE...COMPARED WITH LAST WED. SALE...SLAUGHTER STEERS MOSTLY STEADY, COW 1.00-2.50 HIGHER.  
SLAUGHTER STEERS: FEW HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1200-1300 LBS. 66.00-67.50, CHOICE 1065-1355 LBS.

62.50-65.25, SELECT 57.50-62.25.  
HOLSTEINS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1325-1610 LBS. 59.25-62.25, ONE 64.00, CHOICE 1200-1795 LBS. 54.00-60.25, SELECT 48.00-56.25, FEW STANDARD 40.00-42.00.  
HEIFERS: ONE PRIME 1200 LBS. AT 66.00, CHOICE 1075-1395 LBS. 60.00-65.25, FEW SELECT 52.00-58.25, FEW STANDARD 46.00-47.25.  
COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 38.00-42.25; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 34.75-38.00, CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 29.00-35.75. SHELLS DOWN TO 15.00.  
BULLOCKS: ONE SELECT AT 49.00.  
BULLS: YG#1 1195-2185 LBS. 40.00-45.00, #2 900-2050 LBS. 37.00-41.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS LARGE FRAME #1 500-550 LBS. 72.50-74.50, FEW MED. FRAME #1 500-550 LBS. 62.50-70.00; HEIFERS MED. AND LRGE. FRAME #1 400-575 LBS. 58.00-65.00, ONE LOT MED. FRAME #2 330 LBS. AT 50.00; BULLS FEW MED. AND LRGE. FRAME #1 500-800 LBS. 57.00-62.00, FEW LARGE FRAME #2 330-400 LBS. 48.00-57.00.

CALVES: 173...VEALERS, ONE CHOICE 255 LBS. AT 82.50, FEW GOOD 120-185 LBS. 40.00-50.00, GOOD 85-95 LBS. 32.50-35.00, STANDARD AND GOOD 70-115 LBS. 20.00-30.00, UTILITY 55-85 LBS. 8.00-20.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: GOOD AND CHOICE 330-450 LBS. 53.00-58.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS STEADY TO 20.00 LOWER...#1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 95-120 LBS. 70.00-90.00, 90-95 LBS. 57.50-70.00, #2 90-120 LBS. 25.00-50.00; FEW #1 HOLSTEIN HEIF-

ERS 90-120 LBS. 100.00-132.50, FEW #2 80-100 LBS. 40.00-50.00.  
BEEF X BULLS AND HEFIERS 85-105 LBS. 55.00-85.00.  
HOGS: 54...BARROWS AND GILTS .25 LOWER, SOWS 1.00-2.00 HIGHER.  
BARROWS AND GILTS US#1-3 240-250 LBS. 47.25-47.50.  
SOWS: US#1-3 300-565 LBS. 36.50-42.50, MED. 300-635 LBS. 29.00-34.00.

BOARS: 190-765 LBS. 32.00-35.00.  
FEEDER PIGS: 94...US#1-3 25-40 LBS. 100.00-125.00, ONE LOT 90.00.

SHEEP: 32...SLAUGHTER LAMBS CHICE 45-75 LBS. 140.00-145.00, 80-90 LBS. 85.00-100.00, FEW 105-160 LBS. 70.00-92.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 26.00-53.00, FEW YEARLINGS 50.00-67.50.

GOATS: 17...ONE LARGE BILLY AT 92.50, ONE MED. AT 65.00, FEW LARGE NANNIES 37.50-47.50, FEW MED. 22.50-37.50, LARGE KIDS 22.50-32.50, SMALL 14.00-20.00 PER HEAD.

BERKS COUNTY 4-H LIVESTOCK BEEF ROUNDUP AT LEESEPORT: GRAND CHAMPION 1285 LBS. 1200.00. RESERVE CHAMPION 1255 LBS. 1175.00 PER HEAD.

CLASS CHAMPION 1155-1350 LBS. 950.00-1000.00 PER HEAD. REMAINING 20 HEAD WERE MOSTLY 900-1555 LBS. 750.00-1100.00 PER HEAD.

**Middleburg Livestock Auction**

MIDDLEBURG, PA  
October 7, 1997  
CATTLE 361... SUPPLIED BY THE

AUCTION ...Compared with last week's sale...sl. steers and heifers steady, cows 1.50 higher, bulls 2.00 higher. SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1250/1450 lbs. 66.00-68.00, Choice 1200/1475 lbs. 62.50-65.50, Select 58.00-62.00, Standard 48.00-58.00. HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 1250/1500 lbs. 59.50-62.50, Choice 1150/1500 lbs. 55.00-59.00, Select 48.00-55.00, Standard 42.00-48.00. HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 1100/1300 lbs. 64.00-67.00, Choice 1050/1200 lbs. 59.00-64.00, Select 55.00-59.00, Standard 45.00-55.00. COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 37.00-40.00, few to 41.50, Cutter and Boning Utility 34.00-37.00, Canner and Low Cutter 28.00-34.00. Shells down to 15.00. BULLOCKS: Choice 48.00-54.00. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1400/2100 lbs. 42.00-46.00, No. 2 1200/1600 lbs. 38.00-42.00. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium Frame No. 1 400/600 lbs. 55.00-65.00, Large Frame No. 1 600/800 lbs. 58.00-70.00; HEIFERS: Medium Frame No. 1 400/600 lbs. 45.00-55.00, Large Frame No. 1 600/800 lbs. 45.00-60.00.

CALVES 182...FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 95/120 lbs. 95.00-120.00, No. 2 90/115 lbs. 65.00-95.00; No. 1 Holstein heifers 100/110 lbs. 100.00-150.00, No. 2 80/100 lbs. 40.00-100.00.

HOGS 202...(10/06 & 07/97)...Bulk of supply sold on Monday and reported by the auction. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 220/260 lbs. 46.00-48.00, US 1-3 230/260 lbs. 48.00-50.75, US 2-3 200/220 lbs. 42.00-46.00. SOWS: US 1-3 300/400 lbs. 36.00-40.00, 400/500 lbs. 40.00-43.00, 500/675 lbs. 43.00-46.50.

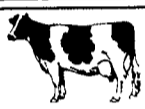
FEEDER PIGS 163...US 1-3 20.00-35.00, 35.00-45.00, 45.00-52.00. --- per head.  
SHEEP 66...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 68.00-80.00, Choice 80.00-98.00. SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 25.00-30.00.

GOATS 8...Large 80.00-120.00, Medium 40.00-80.00. --- per head.



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<p><b>WEDNESDAY</b></p> <p><b>HEIFER SALE 11:00 A.M.</b> <b>COW SALE 12:00 NOON</b></p> <p><b>HEIFERS BULLS</b>  <b>DAIRY COWS</b></p> <p>We have the usual run of 50 to 100 Heifers all ages Loads of fresh cows and springers from our regular shippers. Also some local fresh cows and springers</p>	<p><b>1:30 P.M.</b> <b>FEEDER PIG SALE</b></p> <p></p> <p>Pigs are accepted after 6:30 A.M. State graded from 8 to 12 Dairy Barn and Feeder Pig Barn are cleaned and disinfected weekly for your protection</p>

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